LIVE SPENT HEAVY FOWL

Prices continue to trend mostly steady. Supplies are sufficient for the light to moderate demand. Processing schedules returned to normal following the Memorial Day holiday. Retail feature activity is very light entering the weekend with majority of interest being in the South Central region. Finished product supplies are mostly moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate.

Final Prices at Farm Buyer Loading: Price Range Wtd Avg
Prices in cents per pound. 10.0 - 22.0 13.86

(Southeast Region broiler breeder hens generally for processing, 7 lbs. and up; under 7 lbs. subject to discount.)

LIVE SPENT LIGHT FOWL

Prices are trending steady for the light to fair demand. Offerings of light type hens are at least sufficient for current needs. Processing schedules returned to normal following Memorial Day holiday. Movement of finished product sales are moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate. The majority price for removal costs is unchanged at 0-7 cents per head.

(live hens are predominately egg-layers averaging about 3.5 lbs. live weight per bird.) Eastern region = AL, CT, DE, GA, KY, MA, MD, ME, MS, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA, VT, and WV; North Central = IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI; South Central = AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX.

READY-TO-COOK FOWL

Midwest Region Negotiated Prices to First Receivers

(cents/lb.delivered to first receivers; US Grade A and Plant Grade)

Price Range

Ice Packed (12/box): 80.0 - 86.0 Vacuum Packed (6-9/box): 85.0 - 90.0

Midwest region = IL, IN, MI, MO, OH, and WI

LIVE FOWL AUCTIONS

Hackettstown, NJ - Tue Jun. 04

Heavy Fowl each: 1.50 7.50 4.30 per pound:

Graystone Small Animal, Manheim, PA - Tue Jun. 04

Red Fowl 5-6 lbs: 0.75 - 0.90 per pound

4-5 lbs: 0.70 - 0.80 per pound

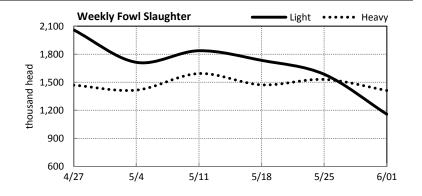
Crossbred Fowl 5-9 lbs: 0.80 - 0.95 per pound

LIVE FOWL SLAUGHTER

Weekly Fowl Slaughtered Under Federal Inspection Week ending 06-01-13

	Head Av	/g Wt	RTC Wt	Dress%
Light Hens:	1,159	3.41	2,134	54%
Heavy Hens:	1,413	7.99	7,338	65%
Total Hens:	2.572	5.93	9,472	

(head and ready-to-cook weight in thousands; avg. wght in lbs.)



RETAIL FOWL FEATURING

Supermarket featuring during the week of 06/07 to 06/13

Ligh	Light Hens		Heavy Hens	
Stores	Wtd Avg		Stores	Wtd Avg
			23	1.19
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			8	0.99
			5	1.49
			10	1.19
	•	Light Hens Stores Wtd Avg	•	Stores Wtd Avg Stores 23 8 5

Relative Fowl Featuring by Region /1

0%

25%

0%

49%

26%

% of stores featuring hens by region.

^{1/ %&#}x27;s reflect feature activity relative to the sample size of each region.